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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of:

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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Office Action mailed January 14, 2005, in the application noted above.

The Examiner has restricted the claims in the present application under 35 U.S.C. §121 as follows:

- Group I. Claims 1-12 and 18-29, drawn to a roll structure, classified in class 65, subclass 370.1.
- Group II. Claims 13-17, drawn to a method of making a roll structure, classified in class 29, subclass 895.213.

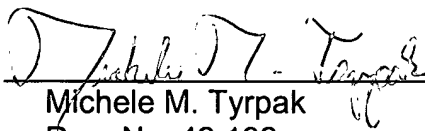
Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to reconsider the restriction requirement. In particular, Applicant submits that the claims of Groups I and II can be and should be examined at the same time. Because the claims are drawn to a roll structure and the method of making the roll structure, examining all of the claims in a single application would not constitute a serious burden.

In order for this reply to the restriction requirement to be complete, Applicant elects Group I, claims 1-12 and 18-29, with traverse.

Applicant requests the Examiner to take note of the change of Applicant's attorney of record. A change of address has been submitted herewith, and all future correspondence in the within application should be addressed accordingly.

Respectfully submitted,

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